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In accordance with the Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act of 1998, the Housing Authority is required to complete an Annual Plan that identifies program goals, major policies, and financial resources for both the Conventional Public Housing and Section 8 Tenant-Based Programs.

The Housing Authority is proposing to further modify the existing Section 8 Homeless set-aside program, which requires a change to the Annual Plan presented on today's agenda. The current Section 8 Homeless set-aside program has 150 vouchers. In the Annual Plan Board Letter, the Housing Authority proposed to expand the existing Section 8 Homeless set-aside program, to include 50 additional vouchers for families that were both homeless and disabled.

The Housing Authority further proposes to expand the homeless definition for these 50 additional vouchers to include individuals who were previously housed, but due to an illness were hospitalized and have lost their housing. This will allow the Housing Authority to provide assistance to these individuals upon release from the hospital. The Housing Authority will receive referrals directly from the Los Angeles County Department of Health Services (DHS) for these additional vouchers.

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**I, THEREFORE, MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY:**

1. Instruct the Executive Director of the Housing Authority to amend the current Annual Plan to expand the exiting Section 8 Homeless set-aside program and to expand the homeless definition for these 50 additional vouchers to include Individuals who were previously housed, but due to an illness were hospitalized and have lost their housing.
2. Instruct the Executive Director of the Housing Authority to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Los Angeles County Department of Health Services (DHS) to receive referrals and support services for individuals who were previously housed, but due to an illness were hospitalized and have lost their housing.

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